



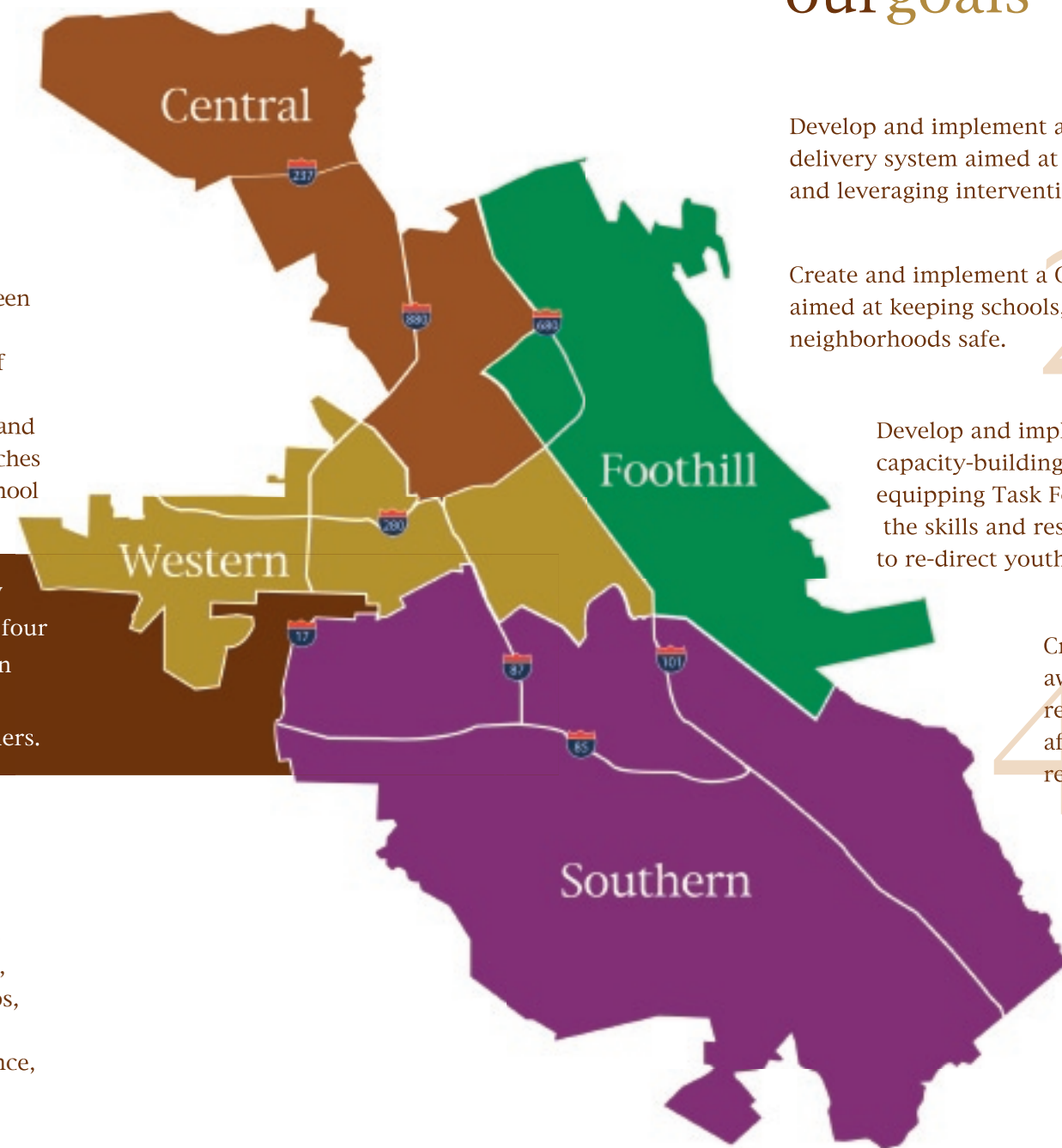
Who we serve:

Youth and families who have been affected by gangs
Youth who have dropped out of school or are unemployed
Youth who have been arrested and sent to juvenile hall or the ranches
Youth who have returned to school

The city's intervention strategy has structured the MGPTF into four regional divisions. Each division includes Police, PRNS, CBOs, schools, parents, and many others.

What we provide:

Gang intervention services
Gang awareness presentations to neighborhood associations, community and parent groups, and schools
Workshops on domestic violence, truancy and substance abuse
Mediations at schools and community based organizations
Parent and family support services
And much more...



ourgoals

1
Develop and implement an “asset-based” service delivery system aimed at connecting, coordinating, and leveraging intervention resources.

2
Create and implement a Crisis Response Protocol aimed at keeping schools, community centers, and neighborhoods safe.

3
Develop and implement a comprehensive capacity-building strategy aimed at equipping Task Force members with the skills and resources necessary to re-direct youth

4
Create an education and awareness campaign regarding the risk factors affecting youth and the resources available to them.

5
Integrate the City of San José's MGPTF Intervention Strategy with local, state, and national initiatives.



9-1-1 : To report gang incidents/violent crimes in progress.

2-1-1 : For Free non-emergency community health, and disaster information - every day and during times of crisis.

3-1-1 : To make non-emergency phone calls for police assistance.

To provide information on gang activity or violent crimes: call 408.293.GANG (4264). You can remain anonymous.

For more information on available resources, please visit our website: www.sanjoseca.gov/prns/mgptf.asp or call us at 408.277.2741.

The MGPTF is comprised of city, county, state, community-based organizations, San José Police Department, faith community, schools, and other community stakeholders. By bringing together these partners, the Task Force has been able to leverage a variety of available ‘pro-social’ community resources to combat the anti-social influences that youth receive from gangs.



ourvision

Safe and healthy youth connected to their families, schools, communities, and their futures.

ourmission

We exist to ensure safe and healthy opportunities for San José’s youth, free of gangs and crime, to realize their hopes and dreams, and become successful and productive in their homes, schools, and neighborhoods.



MAYOR'S Gang Prevention task force

“Reclaiming Our Youth”

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The Mayor’s Gang Prevention Task Force (MGPTF) was formed by the Mayor in 1991, in response to the outcry from various neighborhoods that were being overrun by rampant drug use, gang violence, and other criminal activity. The work of the Task Force has greatly contributed to reducing the rate of violent crime in San José by 52% since 1994.

